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City of Riverside Invites Public to Ethics and Conduct Meeting

RIVERSIDE, Calif. – The public is invited to recommend amendments to City of Riverside's Code of Ethics and Conduct, which will be discussed at a City Council committee meeting Sept. 2 and by the entire City Council later next month.

The Council's Governmental Affairs Committee is holding an annual meeting at 3:30 p.m., Sept. 2 in the Art Pick Council Chamber at Riverside City Hall, 3900 Main Street. The committee will ask for contributions from board and commission chairs as well as from the public, then formulate recommendations for the City Council.

The entire City Council will hear the recommendations of the Governmental Affairs Committee at 7 p.m., Sept. 22, also in the Art Pick Council Chamber. The public is invited to attend that meeting as well.

"This annual meeting is an important outreach of our local government," City Clerk Colleen Nicol said. "Citizen engagement in this process improves decision-making."

The City adopted a Code of Ethics and Conduct following voter approval of an amendment to the city's Charter in 2004. The Code applies to the Mayor, City Council, and members of city boards, commissions, and committees. The Code's effectiveness and application are reviewed annually.

For more information, visit the City's Web site at www.riversideca.gov or call the City Clerk's Office at (951) 826-5557 for a brochure and a copy of the code.